UIC Welcome and introduction
UIC, a long history at the service of member railways and international railway cooperation

1921 Intergovernmental (diplomatic) conference in Portorose, Italy

1922 Intergovernmental (diplomatic) conference in Portorose, Italy

2018 200 Member railways from 95 countries
### UIC today

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<td>200 members</td>
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<td>3,000 billion passenger</td>
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<td>10,000 billion tonnes</td>
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<td>1 million kilometres of lines</td>
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<td>7 million rail personnel</td>
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<td>Cooperation</td>
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<td>700 UIC Leaflets</td>
<td>New International Railway Standards (IRS)</td>
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<td>85 congresses</td>
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UIC, its missions

Promoting the development of rail transport at world level in order to meet challenges of mobility and sustainable development.

KEY CHALLENGES IN TERMS OF

- Innovation
- Standardisation
- Transmission
- Dissemination
- Strategic Advice
FV : Safety and security supporting the activities : freight, passenger, infrastructure
UIC Security Platform incl. WG

- Human Factors chaired by RZD (Russia)
- Security Technologies chaired by SZDC (Czech Republic)
- Strategy & Regulations chaired by SNCB (Belgium)
- Border Crossing, International Railway Corridors chaired by PKP PLK SA (Poland)
- Sabotage, Intrusions, Attacks chaired by DB AG (Germany)

Global Platform and Steering committee chaired by Via Rail Canada and co-chaired by PKP (Poland)
UIC security platform
2 annual events

- Security week in June
  - 1 day on Terrorism/ Cybersecurity
  - 1 Security awareness day
  - 1 day on UIC security activities

- Annual security congress – 16-18/10/2018
European projects

> interest by building new answers with non-rail representatives

> interest because the results are available for all UIC members

> Interest for financial aspects
LEVEL CROSSINGS AT UIC

> SAFETY UNIT:
   - ELCF (European Level Crossing Forum)
   - ILCAD (International Level Crossing Awareness day) Campaign

> RAIL SYSTEM DEPARTMENT:
   - Expert group
   - POC (Proof of Concept) developed in Canada

> SAFER-LC: EU Funded project complementary to
   - RESTRAIL EU past project on Suicides and Trespassing
   - UIC on-going activities
Thank you
Good luck for this mid term conference